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METHOD, PROGRAM AND STORAGE MEDIUM

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 23 2007, Applicant has concurrently filed herewith a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114. This Amendment is being submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.114. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.